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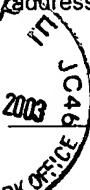
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Our Case No. 3410/11

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Robert K. Ellis II )  
Serial No. 09/954,447 ) Examiner Eugene H. Eickholt  
Filing Date: September 14, 2001 ) Group Art Unit No. 2854  
For: Methods and Materials for )  
Producing an Image, and Articles )  
Comprising Materials for Producing )  
an Image )

## RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this communication.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this communication.



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| TRANSMITTAL LETTER   |                                   |                                | Case No. 3410/11       |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| Serial No.<br>09/954,447   | Filing Date<br>September 14, 2001 | Examiner<br>Eugene H. Eickholt | Group Art Unit<br>2854 |
| Inventor(s)<br>Robert K. Ellis II  |                                   |                                |                        |
| Title of Invention<br>Methods and Materials for Producing an Image, and Articles Comprising Materials for Producing an Image |                                   |                                |                        |

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate), Response, Petition and Fee for Two (2) Month Extension of Time (in duplicate), Checks for \$210 and \$86, and Return Postcard.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for a two month extension of time.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

|   |    |       |    |    | Small Entity    |           | Other Than Small Entity |           |
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| Total                                     | 34 | Minus | 41 | 0. | x \$9 =         |           | x \$18 =                |           |
| Indep.                                    | 8  | Minus | 6  | 2  | x 43 =          | 86.00     | x \$86 =                |           |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim |    |       |    |    | + \$145 =       |           | + \$290 =               |           |
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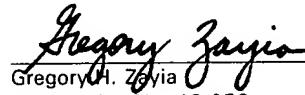
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Checks in the amounts of \$210 and \$86 to cover the filing fees are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

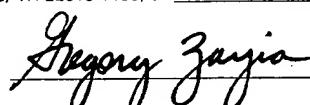
I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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